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For: Customizable Simulation Model of an ATM/SONET Framer for System Level Verification
and Performance Characterization

Enclosed are

21 pages of specification, including 12 claims, plus 2 sheets of drawings.

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